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Pyrazolines As Inhibitors Of  
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Sir:

This is in response to the Notice of Allowance mailed May 22, 2001. A Request for Continued Examination is filed herewith in lieu of payment of the issue fee.

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